

- C. B. of eighty five Pounds one shilling & nine Pence for the use of and due to Sundry of the Militia of Calvert County per Acc<sup>ts</sup> passed by the A Gen

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April 1778.

Present as on Saturday

Commissions issued to William Winder Jun<sup>r</sup> appointed Captain, John Dashiell first Lieut, William Venables second Lieut, & Henry Handy Ens. of the Salisbury Company in the Salisbury Batt. of Militia in Somerset County.

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer Pay to Isaac Harris one hundred and ninty five Pounds, five shillings due to him per Acc<sup>t</sup> passed by the A General.

That the said Treasurer Pay to John Johnson eight Pounds, one Shilling and six Pence due to him per Account passed

That the said Treasurer Pay to Doct. Philip Thomas twenty three Pounds; fourteen Shillings for the use of Barton Philpot for the hire of his Waggon per Cert<sup>a</sup> allowed by the Aud. General.

That the said Treasurer Pay to Allen Quynn two hundred & fifteen pounds ten shillings and Eleven Pence half Penny due to him per Account passed the Tenth of February last by the Board of Accounts

C. C.

[Council to Gist.]

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In Council Annapolis 20<sup>th</sup> April 1778

Sir.

We are of Opinion M<sup>r</sup> Lux's Cloth had better be taken and sent forward for Cloathing for such of the Officers whose Wants may make such desirable. If better could be got for a tolerable Price we should prefer it and if there should be an Opportunity of getting what is genteeler, we shall procure it. We have already sent a good Deal of Stuff to M<sup>r</sup> Randall for Breeches. We are desirous of accommodating the Soldiers as far as we possibly can. Col<sup>o</sup> Smith remarks that the Blankets are some of them much smaller than others and that where they would by any Means answer the Purpose, he took one only to a Man. We request you'll be as frugal as possible with the Blankets; our Stock of about 500 in the whole are, and we see no Prospect of getting more, or soon will be expended. Such as will by no Means do singly, must be double but let the Instances be as few as possible. By the first Opportunity we shall send up 300 Pair of Shoes.

We are &<sup>ca</sup>

Col<sup>o</sup> Gist.